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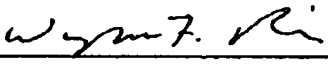
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mantena et al. Confirmation No.: 9009
Serial No.: 09/751,069 Group Art Unit: 2134
Filed: 12/29/2000 Examiner: Lipman, Jacob
Title: METHOD, SYSTEM AND PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR
SYNCHRONOUS COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A PUBLIC
ELECTRONIC ENVIRONMENT AND A PRIVATE ELECTRONIC
ENVIRONMENT

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action with a mailing date of August 12, 2004, response to
which is due by December 12, 2004 with a one-month extension, the request and payment for
which are included herewith, and which is therefore being timely filed, kindly amend the
above-identified application as follows:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)
Docket No.
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In Re Application Of: Mautena et al.

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**Invention: METHOD, SYSTEM AND PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR SYNCHRONOUS
 COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A PUBLIC ELECTRONIC ENVIRONMENT
 AND A PRIVATE ELECTRONIC ENVIRONMENT**
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 09/12/2004 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: 11/12/2004 until: 12/12/2004
Date Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0510 (IBM)
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